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Hon. Anne M. Donnelly  
United States District Judge  
Eastern District of New York  
225 Cadman Plaza East  
Courtroom 4GN  
Brooklyn, New York 11201

Re: *Scrimo v. Lee*, 11-CV-4171 (AMD)

Dear Judge Donnelly:

I am writing to inform this Court of the steps the State has taken to continue to fulfill its obligation, pursuant to the order of the United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit, to take “concrete and substantial steps to expeditiously retry Scrimo.” *Scrimo v. Lee*, No. 17-3434, 2019 WL 3924811 (2d Cir. August 20, 2019) (granting Scrimo’s petition for writ of habeas corpus). This morning, trial counsel explained that there was a misunderstanding in the upcoming dates he had given me and that the parties are meeting to go over discovery material on November 12, 2020, but that the case is not before Judge Corrigan again until December 15, 2020. Our apologies for the imprecise information. Thank you for your attention in this matter, and if there are any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Respectfully yours,

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